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SUBJECT: PAKISTANI ATTENDANCE AT 1977 CENTO MINISTERIAL AND
HOSTING OF 1978 MINISTERIAL

REF: ISLAMABAD 4578

1. EVENING MAY 5, SECRETARY-GENERAL BAYULKEN EXPRESSED CONCERN TO ME OVER GOP DECISION NOT TO SEND FONMIN AZIZ AHMED TO FORTHCOMING CENTO MINISTERIAL MEETING. (HE WAS ALSO SOMEWHAT IRRITATED THAT THE ONLY WAY HE LEARNED OF THIS DECISION WAS FROM THE RADIO.) HE INDICATED THAT HE INTENDS TO GO BACK TO THE GOP IN EFFORT TO AT LEAST GET A MINISTER OF STATE OR SOME OTHER MINISTER TO COME IN LIEU OF THE FOREIGN MINISTER.

2. ON THE SAME OCCASION, THE PAKISTANI AMBASSADOR TOLD ME PRIVATELY THAT, ALTHOUGH IT WAS PAKISTAN'S TURN TO OFFER TO HOST THE NEXT CENTO MINISTERIAL MEETING, IT WOULD CONTINUE TO FOLLOW ITS RECENT CUSTOM OF NOT REPEAT NOT OFFERING TO DO SO.
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(THE GOP HAS CONTINUED TO BE WILLING TO HOST A NUMBER OF LESSER CENTO MEETINGS BUT, BECAUSE OF ITS SOMEWHAT TENUOUS ASSOCIATION WITH THE ORGANIZATION, IT HAS NOT WANTED IN RECENT TIMES TO HOST THE MINISTERIAL.)

3. COMMENT: AMBASSADOR SHAIKH PASSED THIS INFORMATIN ON TO BE BECAUSE, AFTER PAKISTAN, IT IS THE U.S. TURN TO BE HOST

AND THEREFORE USDEL SHOULD BE PREPARED TO OFFER WASHINGTON
AS THE SITE OF NEXT YEAR'S MINISTERIAL MEETING.
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